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FROM USPERMREP ICAO

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SUBJ: ICAO - ASSEMBLY AGENDA ITEM RE REGIONAL OFFICES

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1. DURING FINANCE COMMITTEE DISCUSSIONS RE FUNDING REGIONAL OFFICES NEXT TRIENNIUM, USREP WAS WITHOUT POSITION BUT FELT OBLIGED NOT TACITLY ACCEPT STAFFING/BUDGETING FOR PARIS AND DAKAR IN VIEW DEPT'S INSTRUCTIONS REFTEL.

2. USREP REQUESTED SECRETARIAT PROVIDE INFO RE HOW MANY ICAO MEMBER STATES SERVED BY DAKAR AND PARIS ARE NOT RPT NOT MEMBERS AFCAC/ECAC RESPECTIVELY. IN RESPONSE THOROUGH REPORT CIRCULATED TO COMMITTEE MEMBERS TODAY. AIRMAILED.

3. IN SUMMARY: ALL REPEAT ALL AFRICAN ICAO MEMBER STATES SERVED BY DAKAR ARE MEMBERS AFCAC EXCEPT SOUTH AFRICA. THIS OBVIOUSLY MAKES IT DIFFICULT TO DOCUMENT NEGLECT ICAO STATES IN PREFERENCE AFCAC STATES. OF 14 PROFESSIONAL POSTS, ONE IS AFCAC ATO REIMBURSED BY AFCAC ONE OF 13 IS GENERAL SERVICE. IN TOTAL,
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4. RE ICAO EUROPEAN REGIONAL OFFICE. ICAO MEMBER STATES SERVED BY PARIS WHICH ARE NOT RPT NOT MEMBERS ECAC ARE MALTA,ALGERIA, MOROCCO, TUNISIA, YUGOSLAVIA, BULGARIA, HUNGARY, RUMANIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, POLAND, USSR. (11 STATES OUT OF 30. OF 16 PROFESSIONAL POSTS, 3 ARE ECAC REIMBURSABLES -- SIX OF 29 GENERAL SERVICE ARE REIMBURSALE. IN TOTAL, 9 OF 45.

4. ALTHOUGH CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS EXPRESSED MINOR CONCERN TO SECGEN AND USREP RE PARIS SUPPORT THEY DO NOT APPEAR INCLINED TO MAKE A CAUSE CELEBRE OF IT, AND THEY ARE NOT AWARE OF ANY CONCERN ON PART OF OTHER EAST EUROPEAN STATES. RE USSR, THEY MIGHT WELL WANT TO MAKE AN ISSUE OF IT BECAUSE THEY DIDN'T WANT TO BE PUT IN EUROPE REGION ANYWAY AND MIGHT MAKE ANOTHER MOVE TO HAVE ICAO CREATE SEPARATE REGION FOR USSR, AND/OR SEPARATE ICAO "REGIONAL OFFICE" FOR EAST EUROPE/SOV UNION.

5. RE MAGHREB. SEEMS UNLIKELY COMPLAINTS WOULD COME FROM ALGERIA/TUNISIA/MOROCCO GIVEN CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH ARAB STATES/ AIRLINES, FRENCH AVIATION TIES, ETC. HOWEVER, GIVEN MID-EAST SITUATION AND AFRICAN/ARAB BLOC POLITICS ICAO, IT SEEMS UNWISE GIVE OPPORTUNITY REQUEST REMOVAL TO CAIRO REGIONAL OFFICE OR EXAGGERATE CRITICISM EUROPEAN OFFICE.

6. FYI. DEPARTMENT UNDOUBTEDLY AWARE THAT RECENT MEETING DGCA'S LATIN AMERICA CONCLUDED WITH CLOSED SESSION IN WHICH PRE-LIMINARY TALKS BEGAN LOOKING TO LA CAC. SUCH ORGANIZATION WILL SURELY LEAD TO ICAO ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE SECRETARIAT IN LA OFFICE LIMA CONSISTENT WITH A-10-5 (ECAC COOPERATION). CWP/4956 AND A 16-23 (AFCAC COOPERATION). END FYI.

7. USREP WISHES REITERATE THAT UTILIZING ASSEMBLY ITEM FOR PURPOSE CRITICIZING ECAC IS NOT CREDITABLE. FAR MORE SERIOUS ISSUES WILL FACE NEXT ASSEMBLY.

6. COUNCIL MAY NOT APPROVE US REQUEST ADD ITEM BECAUSE ECAC, AFCAC,NLACAC STATES ON COUNCIL (22 OUT OF 30) OBVIOUSLY FAVOR THE ICAO SUPPORT ARRANGEMENT.
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